

## MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

## NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 1938.

A total of 96 attacks with 68 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 143 attacks with 92 deaths in the previous week. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Field Area reported 4 attacks with 5 deaths, 6 attacks with 7 deaths and 1 attack with nil death, respectively. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1932 and 1931 were 61 attacks with 30 deaths and 41 attacks with 32 deaths, respectively.

Nineteen attacks with 5 deaths from Small-pox were reported from two villages in Hole-Narsipur Taluk, three villages in Koratagere Taluk and from the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

A fatal case from Influenza was reported from Bangalore City.

The State remained free from Cholera and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 106, representing a calculated annual ratio of 29.79 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 26.24 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—5 under Plague, 1 under Malaria, 9 under Broncho-pneumonia, 9 under Pneumonia, 3 under Typhoid, 1 under other Fevers, 7 under Phthisis, 17 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea and 54 under all other causes.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 102 deaths representing a calculated annual ratio of 38.52 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 29.08 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Plague 1, Broncho-pneumonia 14, Pneumonia 9, Typhoid 2, other Fevers nil, Phthisis 8, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 17, and all other causes 51.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 60, representing a calculated annual ratio of 27.71 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 28.14 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Plague 7, Small-pox 1, Malaria 1, Pneumonia 2, Typhoid 3, Phthisis 2, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 9, all other causes 35.

There were 32 deaths from all causes in Kolar Gold Field equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 19.67 per mille of population against the average ratio of 28.27 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Pneumonia, 1 under other Fevers, 1 under Phthisis, 9 under Dysentery and Diarrhoea, 20 under all other causes.

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## OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday, the 5th July 1938.

Food articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food, grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p.      Rs. a. p.		
Rice	Guntur per palla	100	246	11 8 0 to 13 8 0	...	7 to 8½ seers per rupee
	Pattasomanahalli Sanna per palla	100	246	.....	No stock	.....
	Dharapur per palla	100	246	9 0 0 to 10 8 0	Do	9 to 10½ seers per rupee
	Mysore Kaddi per palla	100	246	9 0 0 to 10 8 0	...	9 to 10½ seers per rupee
Ragi	Alubbolu per palla	100	246	9 0 0 to 9 8 0	...	10 to 11 "
	Duyam (Black) per cart-load.	640	...	24 0 0 to 26 0 0	...	10 to 11 "
	Superior (Red) per cart-load.	640	...	28 0 0 to 30 0 0	...	20 to 24 "
Tur	Gulberga	...	...	.....	...	12 to 18 "
Tur (Dal)	.....	...	...	.....	...	7½ to 9 "
Avara	.....	...	...	.....	...	13 to 15 "
Avara (Dal)	.....	...	...	.....	...	10 to 11 "
Oils and Oil seeds—						
Oils	Sweet oil	...	26	4 8 0	...	Rs. 0.20 per seer
	Castor oil	...	26	3 5 0	...	Rs. 0.20 per seer
Oil seeds	Gingelly or Til seed per candy.	255	...	20 0 0 to 25 0 0	...	.....
	Castor seed per candy	255	...	18 0 0 to 19 8 0	...	.....
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar	White Bura	...	26	8 10 0	...	Rs. 0.7-0 to 7-0 per viss.
	Kolar Bura	...	25	8 8 0	...	.....
Jaggery	Achu	...	26	1 4 0 to 1 8 0	...	Rs. 0.3-0 per viss
	Oonde	...	26	1 0 0 to 1 6 0	...	.....
Ghee	Superior (Mandy)	...	26	16 0 0 to 17 0 0	...	2-0-0 to 2-2-0 per viss
Salt	Bombay Salt (Black)	105	...	7 8 0	...	18 seers per rupee